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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 1922

## "JUDGE STOUT, A DEMOCRAT"

The Hartford Republican, in its  
last issue, in a manner reminiscent  
of its windmill-fighting during the  
dog-days of last year's campaign,  
threw a familiar fit of frenzied  
partisanship over the new Kentucky  
general registration law. Its spleen  
over what it tries to make its  
readers think is an effort at dis-  
franchisement is laughable in its  
childishness. As for our contem-  
porary's slur at Judge Robert L.  
Stout, one of Kentucky's ablest and  
most fair-minded jurists, one would  
conclude that it is trying to out-  
Lasker Lasker. Apparently, in its  
estimation, the most conclusive ar-  
gument over a question of fact is a  
plea in confession and avoidance.  
"This or that may be true, but  
your grandfather was the Kaiser's  
best friend" or "a Democrat—de-  
clared the law must stand". But  
what's sauce for the goose is  
sauce for the gander. Four years  
ago last fall several thousand Dem-  
ocrats really were disfranchised in  
Ohio County, as the result of a  
state law, interpreted by Judge  
Slack, a REPUBLICAN. Apparent-  
ly it is all right for the whole  
Democratic party of Ohio County to  
be disfranchised by a technicality,  
but when a few members of both  
parties are faced by possible tem-  
porary denial of suffrage on ac-  
count of illness, which might occur  
on election day as well as on regis-  
tration day, a horrible howl of "un-  
fairness" goes up from the Republi-  
can ranks.

Perhaps the registration law is  
imperfect, but in its essential ele-  
ments it is a step toward fairer  
elections. Its provisions apply  
alike to both parties and no class  
of voters is unfairly discriminated  
against. Its only object is the  
elimination of corruption from our  
politics and such a result should be  
welcomed by all good citizens. As  
Judge Chas. A. Hardin aptly puts  
it: "Any organization which puts  
itself on record as opposing elec-  
toral machinery which insures pure  
elections is doomed to fail."

As to expense, the Republican's  
statement is misleading. The regis-  
tration this year may cost \$2,400  
but a large percentage of the regis-  
tration equipment is permanent,  
the magnitude of the registering  
process will be much less in suc-  
ceeding years and as a result the  
cost will not be a third of the Re-  
publican's figures.

A little inconvenience and ex-  
pense should weigh little against  
the ultimate safeguarding of that  
palladium of democracy, the un-  
hampered exercise of the right of  
suffrage.

## TO VISIT MEXICO

Mr. Martin Philip Sheridan,  
electrician for the Holt Coal Co.,  
at McHenry, applied to the Secre-  
tary of State at Washington, D. C.,  
for passports to Mexico for himself,  
wife and child. He was in this city  
last Wednesday for the purpose of  
having County Clerk Guy Ranney  
assist in preparing his application.  
They will leave soon after July 1st.

Rev. Oscar Ashby, of Centertown,  
R. F. D. No. 2, was a pleasant call-  
er at this office Tuesday.

# Greatest Automobile Race Ever Held in Kentucky!

## Fourth of July - - Owensboro Fair Grounds!

### 50-Mile Motor Classic for Purse of \$400.00

Among the country's famous dirt tract stars are entered the following: Anderson, of Louisville—Essex. Milton, of Owensboro—Ford Special. Pheffer, of Louisville—Laurel. Werner, of Indiana—Ford Special. Blandford, of Owensboro—Ford Special. Sullivan, of Louisville—Essex. Mullican, of Owensboro—Maxwell. Bettinger, of Indiana—Ford Special.

Two sensational Motorcycle Races. Best riders in South entered.

Admission 55 cents, including tax. All races in afternoon.

DELBERT WHITTAKER MEETS  
TRAGIC DEATH IN RIVER

Delbert Whittaker was drowned at 6 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, at Rochester, while bathing in Green River. A boat was passing at the time and it is not definitely known whether the waves from the craft or cramps caused his death. After dragging the river for two hours the body was found. His age was 18 years, 8 months and 3 days.

The youth was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Whittaker, of the Barnett's Creek vicinity and he and his wife had only recently moved to Rochester, where they opened a bathing beach and restaurant for the season. He attended Hartford High School during the year 1920-21 and was well known here. He was a member of Barnett's Creek Baptist Church and a splendid young man. He is survived by his parents, wife, three brothers and one sister.

Rev. Russell Walker, pastor of Hartford Baptist Church, conducted funeral services at Mt. Hermon Methodist Church, Thursday afternoon. The body was laid to rest in the church cemetery. An immense congregation was present at both services, and there were many beautiful floral offerings. The surviving relatives have the most profound sympathy of his many friends both here and in the home community.

## THOMAS-WEISBECKER

Miss Arlie Mariam Thomas and Mr. John G. Weisbecker, both of Louisville, were united in marriage at the St. Louis Bertrand Catholic Church, of that city, Tuesday morning the 26th inst. at 8 o'clock. Rev. Father Lyons officiating. After the ceremony the young couple repaired with their attendants and a small party of friends to the home of the bride where a wedding breakfast was served. Later in the day Mr. and Mrs. Weisbecker left for a two weeks' bridal trip in the North. They will reside in Louisville.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Thomas, who formerly resided in Hartford and in Narrows, and is an attractive and popular young lady. She but recently completed her freshman year in the University of Louisville. Mr. Weisbecker is a young man of sterling worth, and flattering prospects. He recently completed an enlistment service with the U. S. Navy.

We, join the many other friends of the young couple in wishing them the utmost wedded happiness.

## S. A. DAVENPORT

Mr. S. A. Davenport, aged 73, died at his home in Rochester, June 19th, after having been in poor health for several years. Mr. Davenport formerly resided in Ohio County, near Wysox and was widely known and highly respected.

Mr. Davenport was a member of the Cool Springs Baptist Church, where funeral services were held and burial took place Tuesday afternoon. Besides his widow he is survived by three daughters: Mrs. T. B. Wilson, Knightsburg; Mrs. Edna Taylor, Beaver Dam; Mrs. Wm. Abercrombie, Cleaton, and two sons, Leonard, of Rochester, and Carl Davenport, of Tulsa, and Carl, of Tulsa, Okla.

## NOTICE

To the people who are interested directly or indirectly:

The cemetery and church grounds of Green River Church, near Cromwell, will be cleaned off and put in first class condition on July 4th. The people are invited and urged to come and spend the day, bringing lunches and suitable tools to do the work that should be done. After the work is done, in the afternoon about 4:30 the pastor will deliver a sermon in the church building, on the theme, "Heavenly Recognition." Be sure to come or send a hand and spend the day with us.

Yours,

BIRCH SHIELDS, Pastor of Green River Church.

MT. PLEASANT TO HAVE  
SINGING CONVENTION

There will be an all-day Singing Convention held at Mt. Pleasant Church Sunday, July the 29th. All choirs are urged to be present and the public generally is invited. Bring your lunch baskets, well filled, and spend a pleasant and profitable day. Mr. G. J. Christian is chairman of the convention.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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OWENSBORO vs HARTFORD  
Saturday, July 1st.  
LOGANSPOUR vs HARTFORD  
Sunday, July 2nd.  
CENTRAL CITY vs HARTFORD  
Tuesday, July 4th.

These are all fast teams, and you can't afford to miss a one. Brass band will furnish music on July 4th. Come early if you expect a seat. Regular admission. Game called promptly 3:00 p. m.

## PRECINCT REGISTRATION OFFICERS

For  
General Registration, July 10 and 11, 1922

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West Fordville—W. T. Keown, J. A. L. Knott, J. Jeff Whittinghill, S. R. O. Neel, C.  
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South Fordville—W. H. Park, J. Shelby Ford, J. D. N. Howard, S. John T. Smith, C.  
South Rosine—B. H. Morris, J. R. H. Rains, J. Will Monroe, S. Miss Mayme Crowder, C.  
South Centertown—C. S. Rowe, J. H. B. Bean, J. M. D. Heflin, S. Edgar Calvert, C.

## GOMPERS AGAIN

## MADE A. F. L. HEAD

Cincinnati, June 23.—Led by Samuel Gompers, foe of the Russian soviet government in the American Federation of Labor seemed certain tonight of placing the federation at its convention here on record against the recognition of the soviets for the third successive year.

A test vote, called for at Mr. Gompers' suggestion, virtually ended the debate but a final showdown went over until tomorrow.

Aside from the Russian question the convention went on record

against the federation affiliating with the International Federation of Trades unions, and elected its executive council, headed by Mr. Gompers as president. It was Mr. Gompers' forty-first election and he was unopposed.

GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTER  
VICTIM OF ASSASSINS

Berlin, June 24.—Dr. Walter Rathenau, Foreign Secretary in the German Cabinet and one of the foremost economic experts in Germany, was assassinated here today.

Dr. Rathenau was on his way to his office in an automobile when he met his death. Another car, occupied by three men, drove up rapidly from behind, overtaking the Foreign Secretary's machine. As it drew abreast the men opened fire, discharging ten shots from pistols. One of the occupants of the murder car threw a hand grenade.

Dr. Rathenau was killed instantly. It had been reported at first that there was only one assassin. The assassins escaped.

Miss Versia Newcomb, city, spent Thursday in Central City, the guest of friends.

Mr. W. C. Smith qualified as Police Judge for the town of McHenry recently.

Mrs. A. B. Riley and sons, John and Baxter, were in Owensboro Thursday and Friday.

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